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RED CLOVER, ALFALFA, SWEET CLOVER, ALSIKE CLOVER

MAMMOTH CLOVER

BERRY'S SEED FACTS and BARGAIN CATALOG

CLOVER & TIMOTHY

GRASS and CLOVER MIXTURES - FORAGE CROPS SEED GRAINS

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PLACE YOUR ORDERS NOW!

We are mailing this Seed Facts a little earlier than usual to give you the latest prices and information as to seeds available at this time. The demand for seed has been tremendous. Many of the lots we had for our early trade have been sold. In most lines we have been able to get replacement stocks.

The price in the Seed Facts are now in effect. Most of the replacement stocks have cost us more money. Therefore the catalog prices can no longer be protected. The price list on page 12 and 13 of this book gives the general prices. The items are changed from our previous quotations. While there are some advances these prices give you big savings. The general market advances have been more than our price changes.

Please be sure to use these prices in figuring your farm seed order. That will avoid possible delay in writing you. We believe we will have sufficient supplies to last the balance of the season. If we should be sold out of some item that you order we will send you something equally good **unless you specify NO SUBSTITUTION** on your order. We will do this only when it is necessary to avoid delay in shipping your order.

We want to give you good service and guarantee safe arrival and satisfactory quality on every shipment. See our general catalog for information on garden and nursery stocks. Those prices are **unchanged**. Let us have your order. We guarantee to save you money on your seed bill.

MILLETS + CANE + OATS + WHEAT + BARLEY
SPELTZ

SUDAN GRASS + SOY BEANS + VETCH + RAPE

FRUIT TREES, SMALL FRUITS, ORNAMENTAL SHRUBBERY

BERRY SEED CO. Clarinda, Iowa.

BULBS -

GARDEN SEEDS

FLOWER SEEDS

Hardy Dakota 12 Type Alfalfa

Lot OAK \$23.70 bu.

FINEST QUALITY—MIDWESTERN GROWN

99¼ Pure—90% Germination

This beautiful Midwestern grown Alfalfa seed was produced under conditions that develop vigorous growing, heavy yielding and hardy alfalfa. Plants that stand a temperature variation of 130° and more, have to be sturdy when they have to take down to as much as 20° below zero temperatures without snow protection. Many northern grown crops suffer less even at 30° below, because they have snow protection.

This Midwestern grown seed is generally considered the heaviest yielding of the hardy alfalfa. Grows taller and has stronger stems. We have heard it claimed also that it appears to be more resistant to some diseases. This type of alfalfa is widely used in Northern states. Dairy farmers in Wisconsin use a lot of it. Seed of a character that pleases them should please most farmers anywhere in the country.

This is a lot of seed that we secured to sell at an especially low price. It is beautiful seed. Big bold bright colored berries. High purity and germination. It is seed guaranteed to please the most critical buyer. Return it if you are not completely satisfied with the quality or if you are not convinced that you have saved at least \$3.00 to \$5.00 a bushel on your order.

Lot Oak is a real "Special". Please order at once.

Inoculate Alfalfa Seed - Costs only 50c bu. 2½ bu. 90c

BED ROCK GRIMM

\$19.80 bu.—60 lbs.

This Grimm Alfalfa is similar to the Honest John, described in the opposite column. The Honest John is a regular corn-belt alfalfa, while this Bed Rock is a Grimm. It is sown farther north and we always have a big demand for this alfalfa. This past season the demand has been tremendous.

The stocks that we had on hand early have been sold out and the additional supplies we have obtained have cost us some more money; so we have had to make a slight change in price; but it is only a few cents per bushel over the original catalogue quotation. That makes this a truly great value. It is not the finest in appearance, but like our Honest John, it gives satisfactory performance at the lowest possible seeding cost.

HONEST JOHN ALFALFA

\$15.45 bu.

This is our lowest priced Corn Belt alfalfa, but when it comes to performance it really does a wonderful job. We have scores of letters saying that our "Honest John" Alfalfa gave them the best results they had ever had.

It is somewhat off colored and the berries are smaller. That means you put many more seeds per square foot, than when you sow larger berried seed at the same rate. Therefore it gives good results even though the germination per 100 seeds is lower.

It is just as hardy and productive as any of our Corn Belt Alfalfa. You can cut your seed cost way down with this Alfalfa and Honest John should please you as it does thousands of our customers each year.

NOTICE

MARKET CHANGES

Some people have asked us about the effect of market declines on seed prices. The changes will be slight for three reasons. Our seed prices were very low in comparison with other farm products. Most of them are still cheaper than last year in terms of present grain and livestock prices. Second, in many lines supplies are drastically short and there simply is not enough seed to supply a normal demand. Third, many farmers are planning to seed down more than normal acres since the market breaks. The wise farmer will get his supplies now.

REDUCTION IN PRICES

We pledge to you that we will give any order you send us the benefit of any price reductions in effect at the time your order reaches us and refund any such reductions. We have been able to make a few changes since our Seed Facts was printed. They are as follows:

	Was	Now
Lot Oak Alfalfa.....	\$23.70	\$22.50
Lot Leader Red Clover.....	25.50	24.50
World Brand Central Red Clover...	39.60	38.70
World Brand Idaho Red Clover.....	40.50	39.90
World Mammoth Red Clover.....	40.80	39.60
World Brand Western Alsike.....	30.30	29.70
Korean Clover or Lespedeza.....	9.60	9.00
Planet Brand Timothy.....	3.45	3.25
World Brand White Sweet Clover	12.15	11.85

You can always depend upon the maximum in value and the benefit of our lowest prices in effect at the time your order reaches us.

BERRY SEED COMPANY
Clarinda, Iowa

GREATEST ALFALFA VALUE OF THE YEAR Oklahoma Approved Alfalfa

Beautiful World Brand Quality Seed

\$17.40 Per Bushel of 60 lbs.

**Now recognized as a Hardy Strain and considered by many
authorities equal to Nebraska and Kansas Seed
in adaptability and yield**

A number of years ago it was considered that all hardy seeds had to come from northern states where severe winter conditions prevail. The northern-grown seed such as Grimm and Cossack is very good for long rotations in northern states.

There are many farmers, however, who do not plan on having alfalfa in such long rotations. They prefer a heavier producing, taller growing variety. They consider it much more profitable to grow. For example, Wisconsin dairy farmers use Kansas Alfalfa in very large quantities. We have had letters from northern farmers telling us distinctly that they do not want Grimm; but that they want the common seed as they get much more out of it.

Experiments that have been conducted by various state experiment stations during the past few years, indicate that the value of the northern grown seed is perhaps over-emphasized; or at least that the value of the seed grown farther south is not fully realized. In the publication of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, made in November-December of 1944, they report very interesting results from their tests. For example, taking the yield per acre of northwestern Grimm at 100, in the average of 7 tests. The Oklahoma yielded 99%, Montana and Nebraska 97%, Dakota 96%, Kansas 94%, Idaho 93%. That very clearly indicates that the Oklahoma Approved Alfalfa was very close to the Grimm in yield and led all of these other states.

From Illinois we do not have any direct experimental report, but we have the statement from the Agriculture Experiment Station; and they consider Oklahoma Approved Alfalfa entirely satisfactory. It is recognized as being on a par with Kansas and Nebraska common. This same information has come to us from the Iowa Agricultural Station. In other words, from the standpoint of yield and production, there seems to be very little difference in these alfalfas.

A Tremendous Saving in Oklahoma Approved Alfalfa

Because of the popular impression that northern origin alfalfas were greatly superior, there has been a very wide spread in the prices paid to growers for seed from these various states. For example, Kansas Seed is selling around \$8.00 per hundred higher, and Nebraska seed sells for \$13.00 per hundred or more higher. This difference is all out of proportion to any actual superiority that there might be in this alfalfa.

That is why we say that our Oklahoma approved alfalfa in World Brand Quality is the outstanding value in Alfalfa seed this year. We were able to secure a fine lot of Approved Oklahoma Alfalfa that we can offer at this \$17.40 per bu. price. We did not have this available when our catalogue was printed; but we certainly want every one of our customers to know what a great measure of value they can get in this lot.

See Sample Enclosed

Please note the enclosed sample and see the beautiful quality of this seed. Note how bright and clean and pure it is. It has a bright color. It is seed of high germination. The quality will please the most exacting buyer.

We still have the seed of the northern origin, as you will find listed in the pages of this book; and also on the price list on page 12. We, however, do not feel that we would be rendering our best service to our customers' interest if we did not call your attention to the extra measure of value of this Approved Oklahoma Seed. When tests by impartial, well-qualified authorities indicate that they can see no noticeable difference; when in fact some of the tests even show that it leads all the common, as referred to in the Ohio experiment above, it seems like the sensible thing to buy. It is possible that your conditions might demand the use of the Grimm or other extreme northern seed; but we believe that 75% of our trade will get wonderfully satisfactory results from this lot. That is why we bought one carload of it.

That probably won't be enough, for our customers are generally quick to grasp values. We urge you, therefore, to place your order for this seed as soon as you can. We guarantee shipment to please you in every respect. You can return it and get your money back plus freight if you are not completely satisfied or convinced that you have from \$7.00 to \$10.00 per 100 on your alfalfa seed bill.

Extra Hardy Alfalfa in Top Grade

WORLD BRAND NORTHERN GROWN

Cossack \$27.60—Grimm \$27.00

Both this Grimm and Cossack were Northern Grown as generally recognized in government regulations. Both of these are a very hardy type of alfalfa, and they are of the very finest quality.

We have some extra Northern Grimm as described on page 6; but for all practical purposes, we consider this equally hardy and generally more productive. Last year this same grade of seed sold at \$32.70 for the Cossack, and \$31.80 for the Grimm; Thus, the dollar price is materially lower in spite of the fact that practically all other farm products especially grain and livestock, are higher.

There never was a better time to start growing alfalfa than now. We still have a fair supply of the World Brand Northern Grown both in Grimm and Cossack; but we urge you to order promptly. We guarantee top-quality seed and a shipment that will satisfy you in every respect.

BUFFALO

Certified Alfalfa

Blue-Tag \$75.00 per bu.

This Alfalfa, like the Ranger, has been developed to overcome the bacterial wilt that is damaging alfalfas in so many areas.

In some sections Alfalfa stands are being lost and it is being blamed on winter-killing, when actually it is a bacterial wilt that is causing the loss. These new varieties are still scarce and consequently high-priced. Where you have wilt, it will pay you to start growing this Alfalfa.

Blue-Tag quality assures you of the finest in grade, and the genuine State Certified Seed will permit you to establish a genuine article on your farm. We have it available in 30 pound bags with State Seals attached. Kansas grown. Whenever it is necessary for us to break bags on account of the odd weight, then State Seals are not attached. Supply limited. We will substitute Ranger if out unless you tell us not to. **Postpaid Buffalo or Ranger 1 lb. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$8.00.**

RANGER

State Certified Seed

Blue-Tag \$81.00 per bu.

This is also the Wilt Resistant type described on page 22 of our general catalogue. When that catalogue was printed, we had some of the lower grade of State Certified Ranger available. That however, is sold; and we have only the Blue-Tag quality, which is our very finest State Certified Seed. The price is as given above.

It is available in 30 pound bags. The price on 30 pounds is \$37.60. We cannot emphasize too strongly the need of wilt resistant alfalfas in many areas. It seems as though this wilt is becoming more and more common; so that we strongly recommend use of wilt resistant alfalfas in all such areas.

The Ranger is the best known; but either one of them are very good. We reserve the right to substitute one for the other in the event we are sold out of the particular one you should order and the other is still to be had.

Postpaid, 1 lb. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$8.00.

Lot HI-TEST Argentine Alfalfa

\$15.50 per bushel of 60 lbs.

Better than 99% Pure

This is truly a beautiful lot of seed and is extensively used in this country. Page 31 of our general catalogue gives you more detailed information regarding this alfalfa; and some reports from farmers on it. This is a drastically low price for seed of such character: Big berries, high color, strong germination, and high purity. It is a record-breaking value; shipment guaranteed to show-up to your entire satisfaction. Our lowest price in finest quality Alfalfa.

Farmers have written in to tell us about what wonderful success they have had with it, and how their fields of Argentine has attracted wide attention. We can take good care of you on your order at this time, and would urge that you do not delay as this stock cannot be readily replaced.

Alsike with Timothy

LOT ECONOMY

\$11.90 per bushel

45 lbs. per bushel

This is a special lot that our trade takes to in a big way. A bushel will sow six acres and that will average about sixty clover seeds to the square foot with the timothy to hold up the alsike, which makes it grow taller and cleaner. One crop helps the other. Produces a heavier tonnage.

Lot Economy will run 50% Alsike, sometimes quite a little better than this. Do not confuse this with an average mixture of timothy and alsike because this is so much richer with clovers and requires less seed to the acre. You can cut your seeding cost very materially with Lot Economy. It is hardy U. S. Grown seed and we are sure you will be well pleased with the results to be obtained from this stock.

This seeding will produce heavy crops of fine feed, can be used as hay and pasture. Alsike is more nutritious than Red Clover. Is a valuable, truly economical seeding.

Inoculate Legume Seeds

All Alfalfas, Clovers, Lespedeza, Soybeans, Vetches, etc., should have Berrys Nodule germ applied to the seed before it is sown. That helps assure better stands, more vigorous growth and better feeding value. The cost is low. It is easy to apply. See page 27 of our catalog for further information. Postpaid Prices for all Clovers and Alfalfa—a 1 bu. size package 50c—a 2½ bu. size 90c. For Lespedeza—100 lb. size 60c—Vetches—100 lb. size 45c. For soybeans—2 bu. size 30c; 5 bu. 45c; 25 bu. \$1.95.

Planet Brand Alsike Clover

\$26.25 per bushel

60 lbs. per bu.

The Planet Brand is a very serviceable lot of Alsike Clover. It does not have quite the extra fancy looks that you get in the World Brand Grade. For performance, however, it does very well; and is almost \$7.00 per hundred cheaper than the World Brand. This makes it a very attractive seed value.

Six pounds is sufficient to sow an acre. Alsike is valuable to use either straight or in combination with Timothy or other grasses. Many farmers have grasses of their own with which they like to mix Alsike. This would help you to get a seeding rich in clovers yet low in seeding cost.

This price is even lower than it was last year, which makes it a most outstanding value.

World Brand EXTRA FANCY Alsike Clover

\$30.30 bu.—60 lbs.

This is our finest quality western Oregon grown Alsike. World Brand quality is carefully cleaned, bright colored, plump, high germinating seed. It is one of the most economical clovers to sow. A bushel will sow 10 to 12 acres. Alsike is less sensitive to acid than Red, and it is usually easier to get a stand. The hay is higher in feeding value and less dusty. A seeding lasts several years. Combines exceptionally well with Timothy and is also used in pasture combinations. One of the best clovers for wet land, but grows well on upland too.

Berrys direct-to-you price is a real money saver considering its fine quality. Let us take care of your Alsike Clover needs.

Certified Midland Clover

Fine Quality Western Grown

\$41.70 per bu.—60 lbs.

See Sampe Enclosed—Put Up In 30 and 60 Pound Bags

The Midland Red Clover is becoming more and more commonly sown as its fine characteristics become better known.

Page 24 of our catalogue tells you more about this great new clover. This is the result of selections made by the U. S. D. A. together with various state experiment stations. They have developed a Red Clover that, in our opinion will give more production, be more certain to make a stand; and we believe it will also produce more seed.

If you are having difficulty in growing Red Clover we urge that you use the Midland, as we are certain it will justify its expense. We were able to obtain a lot of the state Certified Midland Clover that we could sell at very little above the cost of the ordinary Medium-red Clover. This is a yellow tag grade. In order to really show you how fine this quality is, we thought best to send you a sample.

If you need Red Clover, by all means try this value while it is still obtainable. It might be well to specify a second choice. See page 12 for our complete price list. Be sure to get your order for Clover in at once. This lot of Yellow Tag Certified Midland is, in our opinion, the very finest value available today.

Note! Important!

We might be sold out of this grade when we receive your order, therefore we suggest that you state in your order that we may send you either regular Midland Clover, Idaho grown from certified seed at \$40.80 per bu., or State Sealed Midland 99½% pure at \$41.10 per bu. and refund the difference in price.

Extra Northern Grimm

\$29.85 per bushel — 60 lbs.

World Brand Quality

On page 4 of this Seed Facts, we list a lot of World Brand Northern Grown Grimm and Cossack, which is produced in areas that have been classified as Northern Grown under Government regulations during their price program as well as at the time that they made subsidy payments for the seeding of Alfalfa.

This seed we call Extra Northern grown because it comes chiefly from states along the northern border of the United States. This includes the states of Montana, the Dakotas, Minnesota; and may also contain some Idaho which is alfalfa that always sells at a premium.

In shipping you this Extra Northern grown alfalfa, we will ship you seed that comes direct from one of these states. Sometimes we obtain small lots and we combine these together. However, they will all be practically identical from the standpoint of performance, hardiness, quality; and the shipment is absolutely guaranteed to please you. If for any reason it does not, it can be returned and money including transportation will be promptly refunded.

In the event that you should order this when we have sold out of Extra Northern Grimm, we will then substitute the regular Northern Grimm as listed on page 4, and refund the difference. They are all very sound values.

World Brand

Mammoth Red Clover

\$40.80 per bu.—60 lbs.

Mammoth Clover is also called Sapling or Bull Clover. It looks like Medium Red only it is a bit coarser. It is about 10 days to 2 weeks later. The hay crop is very heavy but it does not make a 2nd crop like medium. The after growth however is wonderful clover pasture, and great for plowing under. While largely grown when seasons are too short for two cuttings it is also extensively grown in the corn belt.

Berrys World Brand Mammoth is strictly high quality, extra fancy seed. If you want Mammoth be sure to order promptly and get this beautiful grade at a saving of around \$3.00 and \$5.00 per bushel. Supply limited. Please order at once.

Medium Red Clover

WORLD BRAND \$40.50 bu.

Top Quality Western Grown Seed

The finest Red Clover seed this year is coming from the west, principally from Idaho. It is very beautiful seed. A sample of the Midland Clover enclosed indicates the general character of the seed. This World Brand Medium red is even finer. This sample will run 99% pure and 90% live seed. It is thoroughly re-cleaned and in every respect a seed that will please the most critical and exacting buyer.

You will find that many dealers do not have a quality as fine as this. Where you do find it, you will find Berry's direct-to-you prices save up to \$5.00 per bushel.

We are having an enormous demand for Red Clover. Supplies are being taken up rapidly. Prices are good so long as stocks hold out, before we have to replenish at higher prices. We have to reserve the right to change quotations. If you will order promptly you can get it at this price.

Inoculate all Clovers—Costs only 50c bu.—2½ bu. 90c

Lot JUST RITE

Red Clover with Alsike and Timothy

\$14.25 per bu.—45 lbs.—50% Clovers

We have different grades and varieties of Clover mixtures, because we find many of our customers like to buy their seed ready-mixed, ready to sow.

Sowing in mixtures generally increases the yield because the Timothy keeps the Clovers erect; and thus they make a larger growth. This also makes less loss of leaves. The Clover feeds the Timothy with nitrogen. That increases the feeding value of the Timothy and also, as a rule, the growth.

Therefore, a combination of Timothy with Clovers will nearly always produce a bigger yield than either one of them sown separately.

We can give you some exceptional values in these preferred mixtures and Just-Rite is one of the most popular of them. The clover content is 50% and we generally have more Red Clover in it than Alsike. This makes a combination that seems to please our trade the best.

One bushel will grow 6 acres, and at that rate you would have around 28 Red Clover seeds, and 18 Alsike seeds; or a total of 35 to 38 Clover seeds per square foot and the Timothy besides. The Alsike sometimes is easier to get started than Red Clover, especially if there are sour spots in the field. A seeding like this generally assures a stand of Clover.

Some will sow at a heavier rate and use as much as 10 lbs. to the acre; although 7½ pounds is ample, under favorable conditions. The price is slightly higher than our original catalogue, but it is still a great bargain.

Lot "LEADER" Red Clover

\$25.50 per bushel—50 lbs.

This is very high quality Red Clover seed containing some Timothy; but not in excess of 25%. It is a Clover Seeding that has been in tremendous demand this year. We have been sold out of it two or three times. We have been able to replace it although the replacement stock cost us somewhat more money. We could have kept it at the original catalogue price by lowering the quality. However, we felt that most of our customers who buy Lot Leader demand a high-grade seed. Therefore, we have kept the quality at the top and made the change in the price.

The advance, however, does not cover the full gain that has taken place in the market; so that Lot Leader remains today a remarkably fine value. It will help you cut your seeding costs, and still give you very fine seed.

Sow 7 lbs. per acre. This makes a fine stand according to many reports that we have. Therefore, the seeding cost is under \$3.50 per acre. Compared with other farm costs, this is very fine value.

We may be sold out of Leader before this season is over. If you will order promptly, we can take care of you in good shape.

WORLD BRAND SWEET CLOVER

White—\$12.15 bu. 60 lbs.

This is the regular Sweet Clover, two year crop. Sow it this spring, it generally gives pasture the same year it is sown and oftentimes a hay crop in the same fall. The next year a hay crop and a seed crop, or plow it under early next year and increase the production of your corn very materially. It is one of the greatest soil builders yet found, as it does the job thoroughly and quickly.

In the World Brand Sweet Clover you get the finest of quality. That is the largest, plumpest berries, highest color, purity and germination, and while it might contain a little trace of Yellow yet it is strictly quality seed, comparable to the best that money can buy anywhere at any price.

YELLOW — \$11.25

Here's the finest quality in the straight Yellow Blossom Sweet Clover which is in such great demand. Finer stemmed than the White, more leafy, does not grow so rank, matures about ten days earlier. Some say it is easier to grow, provides pasture in abundance, makes hay that is superior to the White on account of its finer stems. Puts large quantities of humus in the soil, increasing the fertility of the land for other crops to follow. This World Brand grade is guaranteed to please the most critical and exacting customer and it is priced to give you top value in one of the most profitable crops. Let us supply you now.

HUBAM — The Wonder Clover Annual White Blossom Sweet Clover \$12.30 bu.—60 lbs.

The demand for this Sweet Clover has been tremendous. We secured more of this seed last fall than we had ever handled, and thought we certainly would have plenty for the year. By the middle of January it was already apparent that we would be sold out by around February first. We were able to get one more carload but at much higher price. However we do have seed for you now and can take care of prompt orders at present prices.

You will find a more complete description of Hubam on page 36 of our catalog. It is the great sweet clover that blooms and bears seed the same year it is sown. You can cash in on it as hay, pasture, seed or soil building. You can plow it under the same fall you sow it and it will not come up again. It is a great soil builder, and a high protein feed. Regular sweet clover does not bloom till in the second year. Hubam does this two year job in one.

World Brand Quality

Sow 12 to 15 pounds per acre. Sow as you would other Sweet or Red Clover. The quality of our Hubam is World Brand grade which means high grade stock. Note the sample of World Brand Red Clover enclosed to see the fine character of this grade. While the seed is a little higher than earlier it is still very economical when you consider the great value of the crop. Your investment in Hubam may prove to be the most profitable for you. Be sure to order at once for when our present stocks are gone we will probably have no more until next year.

Fancy Mixed Sweet Clover

Lot PREMIUM \$10.95 bu. 60 lbs.

White and Yellow Combination

More and more the demand for a mixed Sweet Clover increases. The difference in maturity dates gives a prolonged pasture season. For soil building it is equal to straight White or Yellow. For practical results it is in our opinion equal or superior to straight lots. As a matter of fact most lots of white contain some yellow.

This lot Premium is a seeding we secured as a "special" for our trade. It is a fancy quality of seed which means good color, purity germination and in every way dependable seed. It is difficult to tell the exact percentage but it may run about half and half white and yellow. It is priced below its practical worth and you can get good seed at a substantial saving when you buy Lot Premium.

Marvelous Mixture

50 Per Cent. Clovers Balance Timothy

\$9.25 per 45 lb. bushel

We sell enormous quantities of this Marvelous Mixture because it gives a seeding that is rich in hardy heavy yielding clovers and yet low in seeding cost. It is a combination of clovers and grasses that make extremely heavy yields of hay. Our customers report highly satisfactory results. A sample of this was sent in our catalog. Many use it as a pasture. They stock it heavily and get feed of excellent value. There is alfalfa seed in the mixture to help establish that crop on the land. There is sweet clover to open up the soil and to add tremendous quantity of nitrogen. Has Red Clover and Alsike to fill the lower growth and the timothy to support the clovers and to add to the weight and growth of all of it. It is a great seeding and it is no wonder our customers are enthusiastic about it. It will check soil erosion and will enrich your land, and give you feed in great abundance. A bushel will sow $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 acres.

4 Way Mixture

ABOUT 30% CLOVERS

\$8.95 per 45 lb. bushel

This mixture does not contain sweet clover but contains red clover, alsike, alfalfa in a generous measure mixed with timothy. It will run about 30% of these legume crops combined. There are ample clovers to produce a good stand, for when sown at 10 pounds to the acre it will give you an average of 30 clover and alfalfa seeds per square foot. With 8 pounds to the acre you get 25 of such seeds per square foot and that as we all know is able to produce a very good heavy stand of clovers. Then the timothy of course is there to increase the yield and to hold up the entire crop and add to the profits of growing such a combination. It is all cleaned seed, carefully mixed and ready to sow. It is a mixture that produces heavily and makes fine hay and very good pasture. Builds up soil and checks soil washing. It only costs around \$1.50 an acre to sow it and it is priced below present markets.

Red Clover & Timothy Mixture

Half and Half Mixture—\$16.75 bu. 45 lbs.

This is one of our newer mixtures. It is a 50% fine hardy, recleaned, home grown Medium Red Clover and the balance is Timothy seed. There are thousands of farmers who say they want to sow their timothy half and half and here is a mixture all prepared, thoroughly mixed, recleaned and ready to sow that you can buy at only \$16.75 per bushel of 45 pounds. So when you sow around 7½ to 8 pounds per acre of such a mixture you have a very satisfactory seeding. At only 7 pounds to the acre you would have over 25 red clover seeds per square foot and in that way a bushel would sow at least six acres, making you a seeding cost of an exceedingly rich clover mixture of only around \$2.65 per acre.

TIMOTHY AND RED CLOVER

SUPER GRADE ABOUT 25% CLOVERS

\$9.90 per bushel—45 lbs.

A combination of red clover and timothy gives wonderful results in the way of soil building benefit, as you get both humus and nitrogen from the growth plowed under. Berry's red clover and timothy mixture has long been a seeding that has been popular with our trade and one that gives satisfactory results. The timothy supports the red clover making it grow taller and less loss of leaves. The clover feeds the timothy and increases its protein content, thus one helps the other.

If you sow our super grade mixture at the rate of around ten pounds to the acre you have around 23 clover seeds per square foot. You know that it only takes three or four clover plants per square foot to make a fine stand. In this mixture you have the timothy besides. This Super-Grade is a mixture that you will like. It is an economical one.

Timothy, Alsike and Red Clover

REGULAR GRADE ABOUT 20% CLOVERS

\$7.95 per bushel—45 lbs.

This combination is popular with many customers. They like some Alsike in with their Red to help get better stands. Sometimes there are places in the field where Red Clover does not catch. Alsike will stand more acid conditions and also more wet land. Makes a fine quality of hay and excellent pasture. It will give you around 25 Clover seed per square foot when sown at 10 lbs., per acre, 20 to 22 at 8 pounds. This is a very fine value. Our Lot Just-Rite at \$16.75 per bu., is a similar seeding but it contains approximately 50% Clovers.

TIMOTHY AND ALSIKE

REGULAR GRADE ABOUT 20% ALSIKE

\$6.90 per bushel—45 lbs.

Cost only around \$1.50 per acre, a seeding rich in clover at a very low cost, at 8 pounds per acre it will give you around 30 alsike seed on every square foot. Makes a wonderful quality of hay, less dusty than red clover, higher in feeding value. One seeding lasts several years, fine for pasture, checks soil erosion. Both Alsike and Timothy are perennials and will last for many years. Will grow on soils that are too sour or wet for other clovers. Alsike seed is smaller than Red and will go twice as far. Contains as much clover as the 30 to 40% mixture of red clover, therefore very highly economical.

EARLY KOREAN LESPEDEZA**\$12.60 per bushel—60 lbs.**

This vigorous growing, early maturing Lespedeza can be used 100 to 150 miles farther north than the regular Korean described below. Its earlier maturity means the seed is more certain to ripen and then reseed itself. This crop will do well in sections having conditions like those in central Iowa and south. In fact we have had reports of surprisingly good results much farther north than central Iowa.

It seems to be a more vigorous growing plant than regular Lespedeza and is greatly preferred by many farmers. Around Clarinda farmers have sown Early Korean with oats and after the grain was harvested, a hay crop was taken in early August and a seed crop in October. Enough seed shattered to reseed for another year. Sow 12 to 15 pounds per acre. We have very nice seed, but supplies of this early variety are limited. Please order at once.

SERICEA LESPEDEZA—\$19.50 per bushel**60 lbs. bushel—Bags free****SOMETIMES KNOWN AS SOUR LAND ALFALFA**

This is a perennial legume just like Alfalfa but it does not require sweet soil and you do not have to lime your land to grow it. It is entirely different from Korean Lespedeza which comes only through reseedling. This Sericea comes up from the roots in the spring. Has wintered over as far north as Vermont, New York and southern Michigan. It gets better from year to year as it keeps sending out more stems. That means finer growth and bigger yields. Two cuttings of hay can be obtained per year if not too far north.

This crop is also a great soil builder having a heavy root system. Can be sown later than most clovers. The seed is quite small and 8 to 10 lbs. will sow an acre. Be sure to try some of our fine quality Sericea Lespedeza this year. We have seed ready for prompt shipment. Ask for our Lespedeza circular.

KOREAN LESPEDEZA—Standard Grade**\$9.60 per bushel 60 lbs.**

This is the Regular Korean Clover that is grown for pasture purposes from southern Iowa on down south into the states like Missouri, Tennessee, etc. It is good for central Illinois on south. It will grow on the poorest type of ground without lime, it also grows during hot weather when many clovers become dormant, in fact it is during hot weather that Lespedeza grows at its best. This Standard Grade is a nice, fancy quality and the price of \$9.60 a bushel of 60 pounds on it is a very attractive price.

KOREAN Special Iowa Grade**SOLD OUT—ORDER SCARIFIED.****SCARIFIED KOREAN \$11.25 per bu.—60 lbs.**

This is the same kind of Korean, that is, the Regular Korean, but the seed has the hulls removed as the seed has been scarified by a process which scratches the seed coat and permits quicker germination of the seed. This seed goes further. It only requires around 8 to 10 pounds to the acre, whereas the hulled seed as quoted above is generally sown at 12 to 15 pounds to the acre. Therefore, while the price per pound is a little higher it goes further, and especially for late seeding use scarified seed because of its quicker germinating quality. Iowa customers order this grade only. Sold out of unhulled for Iowa.

BERRY'S DIRECT-TO-YOU PRICES FEB. 16, 1948

These prices are F.O.B. Clarinda, Iowa, or shipping point, bags included gross for net. Be sure to use these prices in ordering. Prices are subject to change as markets are advancing. Items * indicate price changes from catalog prices.

ALFALFA—60 Lb. Bu.	Bu.	½ bu.	¼ bu.
World Brand Argentine Lot Hi-Test.....	\$15.50	\$7.80	\$4.00
World Brand Oklahoma Approved.....	17.40	8.80	4.50
*Honest John, Hardy Corn-Belt.....	15.45	7.75	3.90
*Planet Brand, Corn-Belt, Lot Big Krop.....	16.95	8.60	4.40
*Fancy Brand, Corn-Belt.....	18.75	9.50	4.90
*World Brand, Corn-Belt.....	19.95	10.10	5.10
*Lot Gold, Dakota No. 12, Type, Midwestern Grown.....	23.70	11.90	6.00
*Northwestern Grown, World Brand.....	24.45	12.25	6.15
*Dakota No. 12 World Brand Northern.....	26.10	13.20	6.65
*Grimm, Lot Bed Rock.....	19.80	10.00	5.10
*Grimm, Lot Bonafide, Fancy Quality.....	23.40	11.80	6.00
*Grimm, World Brand Northern Grown.....	27.00	13.60	6.85
*Cossack, World Brand Northern Grown.....	27.60	13.90	7.00
*Grimm, World Brand Montana.....	29.85	15.00	7.60
*Cossack, World Brand, Montana.....	30.60	15.40	7.80
*Ladak, World Brand, Montana.....	30.90	15.50	7.80
Buffalo Alfalfa, Blue Tag State Certified.....	81.00	40.60	20.40
Ranger Alfalfa, Blue Tag State Certified.....	75.00	37.60	18.90

HARDY U. S. GROWN MEDIUM AND MAMMOTH RED CLOVER

*Lot Just-Rite (Red Clo., Als. & Tim.) 45 lb. bu.....	14.25	7.15	3.65
*Lot Leader (75% Clo., 25% Tim.) 50 lb. bu.....	25.50	12.80	6.50
*Planet Brand Medium Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	35.70	17.90	9.00
*Fancy Brand Medium Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	37.80	19.00	9.60
*World Brand, Central States, Med. Red Clo., 60 lb. bu.....	39.60	19.90	10.00
*World Brand, Idaho Grown, Medium Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	40.50	20.30	10.20
*Non-Cert. World Brand, Midland Clover, Idaho Grown, 60 lb. bu.....	40.80	20.50	10.30
*Certified Yellow Tag, Midland Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	41.70	21.00	10.60
State Sealed Midland Red Clover 99½% Pure.....	41.10	20.60	10.40
Planet Brand, Mammoth Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	36.60	18.40	9.30
World Brand, Mammoth Red Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	40.80	20.50	10.30

HARDY U. S. GROWN ALSIKE—OTHER CLOVERS

Lot Economy (50% Alsike, 50% Timothy) 45 lb. bu.....	11.90	6.00	3.05
*Planet Brand, Alsike, 60 lb. bu.....	26.25	13.15	6.60
*Fancy Brand, Alsike, 60 lb. bu.....	27.90	14.00	7.10
*World Brand, Western, Alsike, 60 lb. bu.....	30.30	15.20	7.70
Giant Incarnate or Crimson Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	18.90	9.50	4.80
White Dutch Clover, 60 lb. bu.....	39.00	19.60	9.90
Ladino, Giant White Dutch, non-certified, 60 lb. bu.....	156.00	78.10	39.10
Ladino, Giant White Dutch, Certified, 60 lb. bu.....	165.00	82.60	41.40
Birdsfoot Trefoil—Broadleaf, 60 lb. bu.....	94.50	47.50	24.00
Korean Clover or Lespedeza, 60 lb. bu.....	9.60	4.90	2.50
Korean Clover, Scarified, 60 lb. bu.....	11.25	5.70	3.00
Early Korean, (No. 19604 Strain) 60 lb. bu.....	12.60	6.40	3.30
Sericea, Perennial Lespedeza, 60 lb. bu.....	19.50	9.80	5.00

ALL HARDY U. S. GROWN TIMOTHY and CLOVER MIXTURES—45 lb. bu.

*Timothy and Alsike (Reg.) about 20% Alsike.....	6.90	3.60	1.90
*Timothy and Red Clover (Reg.) about 15% Clover.....	7.10	3.60	1.85
*Red Clover and Timothy (Super) about 25% Clover.....	9.90	5.00	2.60
Red Clover and Timothy, Half and Half.....	16.75	8.40	4.25
*Timothy, Alsike and Red Clover (Reg.) about 20% Clover.....	7.95	4.00	2.10
*Tim., Alf., Red Clover & Alsike (4-way) about 30% Clover.....	8.95	4.50	2.30
*Marvelous Mixture, 50% Clovers.....	9.25	4.65	2.35

TIMOTHY—45 Lb. Bu.

*Planet Brand.....	3.45	1.75	.90
*Fancy Brand.....	3.60	1.90	1.00
*World Brand.....	4.05	2.05	1.05

SWEET CLOVER

Unhulled, 30 lb. bu., White or Yellow Type.....	4.80	2.45	1.25
Square Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.—Lot Do More.....	9.60	4.85	2.50
Planet Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.—Lot Pearl.....	10.50	5.30	2.70
Fancy Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.—Lot Wonderful.....	11.10	5.60	2.85
*World Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.....	12.15	6.10	3.10
Yellow Type, Planet Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.....	9.60	4.85	2.45
Yellow Type, Fancy Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.....	10.20	5.15	2.60
*Yellow Type, World Brand, Hulled and Scarified, 60 lb. bu.....	11.25	5.70	2.90
*Lot Premium, White and Yellow Mixed, 60 lb. bu.....	10.95	5.50	2.80
*Grundy County, World Brand, 60 lb. bu.....	12.30	6.20	3.15
*Hubam, Annual White, World Brand, 60 lb. bu.....	12.30	6.20	3.15

GRASSES FOR HAY AND PASTURE

	100 lbs.	50 lbs.	25 lbs.
Extra Fancy Kentucky Blue Grass.....	37.50	18.80	9.50
Lot "Tim" Red Top with Timothy.....	17.00	8.60	4.40
Extra Fancy Red Top.....	25.00	12.60	6.40
*Domestic Rye Grass.....	11.00	5.60	2.90
Grow Quick Pasture Mixture.....	14.50	7.30	3.70
Thrifty Pasture Mixture.....	17.00	8.60	4.40
Master Pasture Mixture.....	21.00	10.60	5.40
*Brome—Alfalfa (70% New Strain Brome, 30% Alfalfa).....	28.00	14.10	7.60
Brome Grass, Canadian No. 1.....	21.00	10.60	5.40
New Strain Brome.....	24.00	12.10	6.10
Domestic Brome.....	21.00	10.60	5.40
Crested Wheat Grass.....	40.00	20.10	10.10
*Reed Canary Grass.....	45.00	22.60	11.40
Orchard Grass.....	22.50	11.30	5.70
English Blue Grass.....	22.50	11.30	5.70
Alta Fescue.....	55.00	27.60	13.90

HYBRID SEED CORN—56 lb. bu. Specify Grade. We recommend Medium Large. Grades available—Medium, Medium Large and Large in either Flat or Round.

	Bu.	½ bu.	¼ bu.
Berry's Special 813 or 615 or 405—Flat Grain.....	10.50	5.30	2.70
Berry's Special 813 or 615 or 405 Round.....	8.00	4.10	2.10
Berry's 613 or 800—Flat Grain.....	10.00	5.10	2.60
Berry's 613 or 800—Round Grain.....	7.50	3.80	2.00
Berry's U. S. 13 or Berry's Iowa 939—Flat.....	9.00	4.60	2.40
Berry's U. S. 13 or Berry's Iowa 939—Round.....	7.00	3.60	1.90
*Berry's Hi-Yield Blend—Thick Flat Grain.....	5.75	2.90	1.50
*Berry's Hi-Yield Blend—Round Grain.....	5.25	2.70	1.40

OATS—32 Lb. Bu.

	1-15 bu. Per Bu.	16-45 bu. Per Bu.	46-99 bu. Per Bu.	100 bu. Per Bu.
Non-Certified Clinton Oats.....	\$2.60	\$2.55	\$2.50	\$2.45
Certified Clinton Oats.....	2.85	2.80	2.75	2.70
Certified Mindo Oats.....	4.45	4.40	4.35	4.30
Certified Benton Oats.....	4.20	4.15	4.10	4.05
Berry's Golden Beauty Oats.....	3.25	3.20	3.15	3.10
Cherokee or C. J. 3846.....	4.45	4.40	4.35	4.30

SOY BEANS, FIELD PEAS

	25 Bu.	10 Bu.	Bu.
*Lincoln Cert., 60 lb. bu. f.o.b. Clarinda or Sparland Ill.....	6.50	6.60	6.70
*Lincoln Non-Cert., 60 lb. bu. f.o.b. Clarinda or Sparland, Ill.....	5.75	5.85	5.95
*Soybeans, Richland, 60 lb. bu.....	5.75	5.85	5.95
*Soybeans, Brown-Virginia Hay, 60 lb. bu. f.o.b. St. Louis.....	5.50	5.55	5.60
*Soybeans, Black-Kingwa Hay, 60 lb. bu. f.o.b. St. Louis.....	5.50	5.55	5.60
Field Peas.....	6.50	6.60	6.70

SPRING BARLEY and SPRING RYE

	10 Bu.	1 Bu.	½ Bu.
Wisconsin 38 or Velvet Barley, 48 lb. bu.....	4.60	4.65	2.35
Oderbrucker Barley, 48 lb. bu.....	4.60	4.65	2.35
Spartan Barley, 48 lb. bu.....	4.50	4.55	2.35
New Certified Canadian Montcalm Barley.....	8.00	8.10	4.10
Spring Rye, 56 lb. bu.....	4.85	4.90	2.50

SPRING WHEAT, FLAX, SPELTZ, BUCKWHEAT and VETCHES

	10 Bu.	1 Bu.	½ Bu.
Mida, Spring Wheat, 60 lb. bu.....	4.90	5.00	2.60
Flax, Bison, Viking or Linota, 56 lb. bu.....	9.50	9.60	4.90
Spring Speltz, 40 lb. bu.....	2.80	2.90	1.50
*Buckwheat, 48 lb. bu.....	3.50	3.60	1.90
Sand or Winter Vetch, 50 lb. bu.....	13.50	13.60	6.90
Spring Vetch, 50 lb. bu.....	6.50	6.60	3.40

FORAGE CROPS

	10 Bu.	1 Bu.	½ Bu.
Cane, Orange, 50 lb. bu.....	6.00	6.10	3.10
Cane, Amber, 50 lb. bu.....	6.00	6.10	3.10
Hegari, 50 lb. bu.....	4.00	4.10	2.10
Kalo Early, 50 lb. bu.....	3.40	3.50	1.80
Atlas Sorgo, 50 lb. bu.....	6.00	6.10	3.10
Atlas Sorgo Certified, 50 lb. bu.....	8.00	8.10	4.10
Norkan Early Atlas, 50 lb. bu.....	4.75	4.85	2.45
Milo, Midland, Westland, Martin, 56 lb. bu.....	3.40	3.50	1.80
Kaffir Corn, 56 lb. bu.....	4.00	4.10	2.10
Millet, German or Golden, 50 lb. bu.....	4.50	4.60	2.40
Siberian Millet, 50 lb. bu.....	4.00	4.10	2.10
Millet, Proso, 50 lb. bu.....	3.65	3.75	1.90
Millet, White Wonder, 50 lb. bu.....	4.00	4.10	2.10

OTHER FORAGE AND SUMMER PASTURE CROPS

	100 lbs.	50 lbs.	25 lbs.
Sudan Grass Regular.....	11.25	5.70	3.00
*Sweet Sudan.....	18.50	9.30	4.70
Billion Dollar Grass.....	9.90	5.00	2.60
*Dwarf Essex Rape.....	22.00	11.10	5.60
Berry's Annual Pork Producer.....	8.50	4.30	2.20

BROME GRASS

New Strain

\$24.00 per 100 lbs.—\$12.10 per 50 lbs.

Bushel of 14 lbs. \$3.40

Brome Grass is in bigger demand than ever before. Last year the production of domestic seed was rather drastically curtailed. This year you can again get the New Strain Brome and at a very reasonable cost.

Read page 17 of our general catalogue for full description of this variety. This type of Brome can grow further south, seems to be easier to get a stand, makes a taller growth in sections from Iowa on south, and for those sections New Strain is highly recommended. From Northern Iowa on north the others seem to do about equally well.

We urge you to establish this very profitable, heavy-yielding drought resisting grass which is widely adapted and liked by all livestock. It is an excellent seeding for waterways where the ground is not too wet. You can start growing it either in the Spring or in the Fall. Sow 20 pounds per acre when you sow it alone; or combine it with other grasses or clovers or alfalfa as described below.

Let us take care of you on Brome now.

Canadian No. 1 Brome

\$21.00 per 100 lbs.—\$12.60 50 lbs.

Canadian No. 1 is heavy seed and far superior in weight, quality and germination to most of the southern strain seed that can be found this year. Our stock of Canadian No. 1 is practically on a par with the certified seed and for practical results one should do as well as the other for you. Shipment is guaranteed satisfactory in every way.

Brome - Alfalfa Combination

\$28.00 per 100 lbs.—\$14.10 for 50 lbs.

There are two special reasons for growing Brome Grass in combination with Alfalfa or other legumes. Some use Red and Ladino Clover but Alfalfa is most commonly used. It stands heat and drought about the same as Brome. Brome grass is a heavy feeder of nitrogen. If you grow it alone the yields go down rather rapidly unless you grow a nitrogen gathering crop with it or apply nitrogen fertilizer.

Alfalfa is one of the best nitrogen gathering crops. Therefore it helps keep up the soil fertility. Thus Brome grows better and is higher in feeding value. At the same time you have the value of the alfalfa crop itself in your hay or pasture. Alfalfa mixed with Brome does not seem to bloat stock like Alfalfa alone may do when used as a pasture.

An excellent combination is 70% Brome and 30% alfalfa sown at the rate of about 20 pounds per acre. We have a combination on which we ship seed like our World Brand Midwestern grown Lot Oak, Dakota 12 type Alfalfa and New Strain No. 1 Brome. The seed is shipped separately as it does not stay properly mixed in shipping. Furthermore the seed is generally sown separately. We consider the combination a very good one that gives you high quality seed at reasonable cost. On an order for 50 lbs. you will receive 35 lbs. of Brome and 15 lbs. of Alfalfa. You can save money on your seed needs at Berrys.

Master Pasture Mixture

\$21.00 per Cwt.—\$10.60 for 50 lbs.

This is a combination of straight grasses only, it contains no clovers. Many of our customers want such a mixture, some have clovers of their own perhaps, some do not care for clovers. Others want to add one kind of clover and some another. So here is a straight mixture of grasses that we are sure you will like and it is priced to save you money. Our Master Mixture contains Kentucky Blue Grass, Brome Grass, Crested Wheat Grass, Timothy, Red Top and Reed Canary Grass. Thus you secure a variety of grasses and that is what live stock likes. There are some other advantages, all of them are perennials. Some start early in the spring, the Brome stands heat and drouth exceptionally well, starts early and grows until late in the fall. Crested Wheat is exceptionally drouth resistant. Reed Canary stands both wet and drouth. The timothy fills in well for several years as the other grasses get well established. This is for making new seedings or to thicken up your old pastures. Poor thin pastures certainly do not pay. Figure on sowing around 20 pounds to the acre. You will like this pasture mixture as it is economically priced for such a fine combination, shipment is guaranteed to please you.

Thrifty Pasture Mixture

\$17.00 per Cwt.

This is a combination of grasses and clovers, it contains a wider assortment of grasses than found in the Grow-Quick Mixture and runs about 50% of the clovers, that is Korean Clover and Sweet Clover which are wonderful Clovers to use in a pasture seeding. The grasses in the mixture are Blue Grass, Red Top, Rye Grass, Timothy. Four different grasses, two kinds of clovers. The Rye Grass grows fast and can be used as a nurse crop or a light seeding of grain can be used. Red Top also is quite a fast grower. These two grasses provide early feed. Korean and Sweet Clover can be pastured by mid-summer, Timothy and Blue Grass adds to the fall pasture. At \$17.00 a hundred you have here a good seeding rich in clover, fine in its nutritious elements and in soil building power. A big seller and one we believe you will like.

Grow-Quick Pasture Mixture

\$14.50 per Cwt.—\$7.30 for 50 lbs.

\$3.70 for 25 lbs.

This is a very popular mixture with us because the cost of seeding is low and it is one that gives quick production. You can begin pasturing it lightly within relatively a few weeks after seeding. You can sow it as early in the spring as you would sow grain. The Rye Grass is a fast grower in it and that affords early feed. Later on in the summer the Sweet Clover, Korean and Timothy are developing to increase production. Keep on growing until after frost. Korean will reseed itself for next year unless your season is very short. Sweet clover and Timothy of course live over winter and can be used the next year for plowing under or continued for pasture or cut for hay. Sow 15 to 20 pounds per acre. It's a real value at this time.

Crested Wheat Grass

\$40.00 per 100 lbs.

This is the greatest of all grasses when it comes to drought resistance. It will grow with as little as 10 to 18 inches of annual rainfall. Deep-rooted, long-lived, this perennial grass comes on early in the Spring and grows late in the Fall. It stands a lot of grazing and trampling, and is a very valuable grass under drought conditions, when it is not too extremely hot.

Read page 15 of our general catalogue for more detailed information regarding this very valuable crop. We still have a fair supply of this seed available.

Domestic Rye Grass

\$11.00 per 100 lbs.

This is a grass that grows very quickly, can be sown early in the Spring, and makes a faster grass than other grasses like Blue Grass or Timothy. It will not grow as large a stand as Billion Dollar Grass, but serves a very definite purpose and is of great use under many conditions.

Read page 15 of our general catalogue for more detailed information. The stocks that we had originally of this grass have been sold. Additional supplies have cost us somewhat more money, but the advance has not been too large. We can take good care of you on the Rye Grass at this time. We have recleaned seed and shipment is guaranteed to please you in every respect.

Ladino Clover

Giant White Dutch Clover

Ladino is a giant form of the common or white dutch clover and a wonderful pasture clover. Because of its much larger growth it is not adapted for lawn purposes like the white dutch but its larger and more luxuriant growth makes it far superior to white dutch clover for pasture purposes. In some sections it is used for hay, silage and green manure crop. It is a perennial clover that will last for many years and generally keeps getting better as it spreads on creeping stems and develops roots at the junction points. The growth is very rapid under favorable moisture conditions. It perhaps will not stand as much drouth or heat as alfalfa, but with favorable moisture conditions makes the crop in great demand. We especially recommend it for poultry pasture combinations. When used in a combination with other mixtures a pound of Ladino Clover is plenty per acre, by itself two or three pounds.

PRICE HIGH GRADE—NON-CERTIFIED

Not Prepaid: 15 lbs. \$39.10; 30 lbs. \$78.10; 60 lbs. \$156.00

Postpaid: 1 lb. \$3.25; 5 lbs. \$15.00; 10 lbs. \$29.00

Reed Canary Grass

\$45.00 per Cwt.

This remarkable grass gets big yields of high feeding value grass. Its adaptability to grow on wet land yet withstand drouth remarkably well makes it one of the outstanding of all grasses. We do not have space here to tell you all about it. If you will write for our free circular on Reed Canary Grass you will get detailed information on how to grow this profitable crop. It tells you more about its great value. It grows from early spring until late fall and makes a dense sod but is easily eradicated. It is possible to get both a hay crop and a seed crop from the same seeding as the leaves remain green while the taller growing seed stocks mature. It has excellent feeding value and a grass that it will pay you to know better.

Quick Growing Red Top EXTRA FANCY

\$25.00 per 100 lbs.

One of the easiest grasses to get started. Will grow on soils that are very poor in lime as well as low in fertility. Not recommended for sandy soil but will stand a lot of drought on heavier land. Also well adapted to wet land. Grows rapidly and makes a turf very quickly. The crop is widely adapted and is grown in every state in the nation. Sow 10 lbs. per acre alone or mix it with other grasses using 3 to 4 lbs. Our extra Fancy Grade is a fine quality of Red Top seed and our price will save you money. Please mail orders for Red Top early.

Lot TIM

Red Top Containing Timothy

\$17.00 per 100 lbs.

We are able to secure some seed that we can sell at a very low price because it contains some hulled Timothy. For all practical purposes this seed is very satisfactory to sow as it is, or to use in mixtures with other Clovers and grasses. Its fast early growth helps to establish a sod quickly. Excellent for soil building and in pasture combinations. Also used for hay. This is re-cleaned seed and you get a lot of value at a low cost. Sow 10 to 12 lbs. per acre when sown alone.

Alta Fescue

Kentucky 31 Type of Fescue

\$55.00 per 100 lbs.

We are having a very heavy demand for this grass. Last year we had quite a write-up in one of the national farm publications; and since then many people are wanting this grass. You will find it described somewhat more thoroughly on page 28 of our general catalogue.

What we have, we obtain as Alta Fescue; but from reports which we have received, the performance is practically identical to that of Kentucky 31 Fescue. Experiment stations have told us that they seem to be the same. It is a grass adapted to a wide variety of soils; good or poor, wet or dry. It has a long growing season. In states further south, like Kentucky, it grows practically the year round. It helps control erosion on deep slopes. It is a drought resistant. The roots penetrate soil real well, is partly resistant to alkali, and will also thrive on quite acid soil. It makes a fine grass for pasture purposes. Sow around 10 to 12 pounds per acre alone; or if you want to mix it with other grasses, use 4 to 5 pounds, together with Timothy, Brome Grass, or some clovers as you may wish.

We believe that you will like this grass. It certainly has a very definite place in agriculture where you have difficulty in establishing grasses. We suggest you try some Alta Fescue.

TIMOTHY

PLANET BRAND

\$3.45 per bushel

If you will refer to page 12 of this book you will see prices on three grades of Timothy seed. The Planet Brand is our lowest priced grade of seed but a nice serviceable quality, having good color, purity and germination, making all around serviceable quality seed at a low price. You can make your lowest seeding costs by using Planet Brand Timothy and sow around 12 pounds of seed to the acre.

WORLD BRAND

\$4.05 per bushel

This represents the very highest quality that we have in Timothy and stands for the seed that has the heaviest weight per bushel, the plumpest seed, highest color, purity and germination. There is nothing better obtainable and you will find it difficult to secure seed of finer quality than our World Brand. All our Timothy prices are based drastically below the wholesale prices. We can serve you from this Timothy section with a great value at a low cost.

CLINTON OATS

Sensational Yields—Blight Resistant

These Clinton Oats are wonderful producers. Yields of well over 100 bushels per acre have been recorded on this variety. 114 bushels in Iowa with a 5-year average of 87.5 bushels. One Illinois grower sowed only 11½ lbs. to the acre and he got a yield of 55½ bushels per acre, from sowing just about ¼ of a bushel. We recommend sowing 2 bu.; but it does show what this wonderful oat can do. They are fairly early in maturity, being about the same as the Vicland, with which you may be acquainted. They have a thin hull, meaty grain; and these oats generally have a heavy test weight. The straw is extremely stiff and strong, we have never known it to lodge even on the richest ground. For more detailed information on these Clinton Oats, read page 3 of our general catalog.

Certified Clinton Oats

We have the Clinton Oats in Certified and non-Certified seed. Certified seed means that the seed sown is first of all certified stock that is approved by state certifying agents. The growing fields are then inspected by State Inspectors. The seed, after being harvested and cleaned, is again tested by the state both for purity and germination. If it is found of high germination free of noxious weeds, true to type, certification tags are issued for the recleaned seed.

1 to 5 bu. lots, \$2.85 per bu.; 16 to 45 bu. lots, \$2.80 per bu.; 46 to 99 bu. lots, \$2.75 per bu.; 100 bu. or more \$2.70 per bu.

Non-Certified Clintons

There are a number of farmers who do not care to bother with the red-tape involved in the production of Certified Seed. The seed that they sow is certified and the crop would be eligible for certification if they would follow through on the various steps. However, they prefer to sell the seed for less, and then they do not have to wait for certification to be completed before they can dispose of their crop. Consequently, we can buy seed the equivalent of the Certified stock at lower prices and sell it for less money.

1 to 15 bu., \$2.60 per bu.; 16 to 45 bu., \$2.55 per bu.; 46 to 99 bu., \$2.50 per bu.; 100 bu. or more, \$2.45 per bu.

Benton Certified Blue Tag Oats

The Benton has the same parentage as the Clintons but is a different selection from the same strain. They are very much like the Clintons only that they will grow a straw about 5 to 6 inches taller. This is an advantage on thin land, sometimes, where the other straw may not grow so tall; although the Clinton has a fair-sized straw.

The test weight per bushel may run a little higher; the grains a little larger. The Benton is also blight resistant with relatively thin hulls. It ripens in southern Iowa about the middle of July and in northern Iowa about July 25th. In Lafayette, Indiana, they ripen about July 12th. This would classify them as a mid-early oat. They also have a great resistance to lodging and make a good oat to be combined.

Read page 8 of our general catalog for more detailed information regarding this oat. They are not as plentiful as the Clintons. We have them only in the Certified Seed. The price on the Certified Blue Tag Bentons:

1 to 15 bu., \$4.20 per bu.; 16 to 45 bu., \$4.15 per bu.; 46 to 99 bu., \$4.10 per bu.; 100 bu. or more, \$4.05 per bu.

MINDO OATS

Mindo is also a blight resistant oat. It was developed by the Minnesota station and is earlier than either the Clinton or Benton. The parentage is different. It is an oat resistant not only to blight, but to smut and most strains of rust. We have a yield record of 120.7 bushels per acre. One place in our catalog it said 210.7 but that was a reversal of figures. Page 8 of our general catalog describes this oat. That tells you about its blood line. It has a little shorter straw than the Clinton by about three inches. With big yields, resistance to stem rust, crown rust, smut, blight; it is a very good selection.

For the southern part of the oat belt it might be best of all because it matures earlier than any of these other oats. A few days earlier maturity sometimes makes a big difference in yield. Grow some for their earliness may make a big hit in your neighborhood and bring you extra prices for seed purposes.

Price Certified Mindos: 1-15 bu., \$4.45 bu.; 16-45 bu., \$4.40 bu.; 46-99 bu., \$4.35 bu.; 100 or more bu., \$4.30 bu.

CHEROKEE OAT

Formerly Known as Berry's 333 Oat

5 to 7 Days Earlier Than Clinton

Quite a number of our customers bought Berry's 333 oats last year and were highly satisfied with them. A number have written they did not see it listed in our 1948 catalog. We were attempting to hold our varieties down to a minimum which is one reason that we did not catalog it. In some respects the Golden Beauty seems to be somewhat superior to our 333. The 333 however, did have a very fine quality of grain, plumper than the average oat. The color is slightly darker. We received many letters of praise on these oats throughout the past few weeks.

Cherokee—A New Name

When we offered the 333 oat we were not able to give the exact pedigree but it now appears they are the CI 3846. These have recently been called the Cherokee Oat, therefore we are listing it under that new name. We have obtained a reasonable quantity of these Cherokee Oats although they will not go very far if the demand materializes like it did for the 333 last year. As far as they go however, we are glad to offer them to you. They have the D 69 Bond parentage. They mature, 5 to 7 days earlier than the Clinton. They are resistant to the helminthosporium blight. The grain is very nice and plump. It has straw of good strength. We can recommend them to you as a first class oat. I am sure you will be highly satisfied with them because, as stated before, we have never gotten a single complaint, and only letters of praise on the 333.

The price—1 to 15 bushel, \$4.15 a bu.; 16 to 45 bushel, \$4.10 a bu.; 46 to 99 bushel, \$4.05 a bu.; and in 100 bushel lots or more, \$4.00 a bu.

These Oats, like the Golden Beauty, are not certified but seed that in our opinion, is first class stock in every respect and the type of seed oats that will bring our customers back when they want more.

Berry's Golden Beauty Oats

Guaranteed to Outyield any Variety of Certified Oats

If you have read page 9 of our General Catalog, you will have a very good understanding about this Golden Beauty Oats. It is a specially graded selection of Clinton Oats. We have worked on this quite thoroughly in order to obtain an Oats that would have all the characteristics of the Clinton and have a more uniform maturity. It has the same maturity date as Clintons, has just as strong a straw, the straw will grow just as tall. In yield however we consider that it will be superior and also that the quality will be superior. When you take the Clinton Oats, they should be allowed to stand until they are dead ripe before they are combined, or otherwise should be combined out of the windrows. This is due to the fact that it has some later maturing kernels in it. In our grading process we feel that we have removed a large percentage of this, and thereby improved the variety very materially. We are so confident of this, that we guarantee these Oats to outyield any other certified Oats. If Berry's Golden Beauty Oats do not do that, we will refund you the difference between any extra that you paid us for the Golden Beauty Oats over the price that you may have paid for your certified seed. The price is as follows:

1 to 15 bu., \$3.25 per bu.; 16 to 45 bu., \$3.20 per bu.; 46 to 99 bu., \$3.15 per bu.; and 100 bu. or more \$3.10 per bu.

LINCOLN SOYBEANS

The very best Soybeans for Central cornbelt conditions is the Lincoln Bean. Any section having conditions similar to that from North Central Iowa to Southern Central Missouri is adapted to this variety. It will yield 20% to 30% over the good average variety like Dunfield and Illini. The beans have a high oil content which is of fine quality. It is an excellent variety for combining as they hold their beans well and they stand up well.

At the time this goes to press we have these available in high quality non certified at \$5.75 per bu. in 25 bu. lots; \$5.85, 10 to 25 bu.; \$5.95 bu. in less than 10 bu. lots. See our general catalog page 14 for further description of this and other varieties that we sell. See page 13 of this book for present prices which replace original catalog prices.

ATLAS SORGO

This is the heaviest producer of the Sweet Sorgo. It is one of the most sensational forage crops ever developed. An enormous yielder and a matchless drought resister. Produced up to 18.7 tons of forage per acre where corn yielded half as much.

It is highly palatable and a very nutritious feed. Livestock thrives on it. Makes wonderful ensilage. Be sure to read page 12 of our general catalog for further information on this great crop.

We were unable to secure much seed early last fall. The Certified Atlas was not even quoted. Since then we have secured some additional stocks of very fine quality. Prices however are higher and catalog prices cannot be protected. Order now to assure yourself of excellent seed.

Non-Certified: \$6.10 bu. of 50 lbs.; Certified \$8.10

NORKAN

This crop closely resembles Atlas Sorgo but is earlier in maturity. Some call it "Early Atlas". It is a cross between Atlas and Early Sumac cane. It has the earliness and heavy stalk growth of the Cane and the fine palatable white grain of the Atlas. Plants are medium early and medium tall and juicy. Its earlier maturity makes it very desirable in many sections. See page 12 of our catalog for more information. Seed of Norkan is also scarce and higher. **\$4.85 Bu., 50 lbs.**

HEGARI

It is a sweet sorghum somewhat like Atlas. Stalks are heavier but shorter. It is valuable for grain, fodder, ensilage and can be used for pasture if sown at a heavy rate. Yields up to 18 tons of ensilage and 5,000 lbs. of grain per acre. These fodder and forage crops can be drilled at the rate of around 8 to 10 lbs. per acre in standard rows or 15 to 20 lbs. in double rows. If wanted for hay use 75 to 90 lbs. per acre. **Price \$4.10 bu., 50 lbs.**

BILLION DOLLAR GRASS

Nearly every year we run out of the seed of this heavy yielding Millet before the season is over. This year we have better supplies than we have had for the past few years so we can take good care of your order.

Yields up to 26,000 and as high as 50,000 lbs. of green feed per acre are reported on this tall growing Millet. Seed yields of 1,000 to 2,000 lbs per acre are reported. Grows fast and makes hay in 6 to 8 weeks. May be sown during May, June or July. We recommend 20 to 25 lbs. of seed per acre.

Will grow up to 6 to 8 feet high on land of good fertility and not too dry. Does not stand drought as well as Sudan. Makes satisfactory pasture. Does not become poisonous at any time. **Price: 25 lbs., \$2.60; 50 lbs., \$5.00; 100 lbs., \$9.90.**

OTHER FORAGES

See pages 12 and 13 in our general catalog for descriptions of other forage crops and see page 13 for present prices on them. Our seed is all tested stock and every shipment guaranteed satisfactory.

NEW SWEET SUDAN GRASS

Many farmers write to ask about the best crop to sow to provide a lot of hay or pasture this year. The New Sweet Sudan is the answer in most cases. For pasture it is especially good because it is so palatable. Livestock is very fond of its sweet taste and they seem to prefer it to most any other kind of feed. It is nutritious too and a very heavy producer. You have to see it on your own farm or at a neighbors to fully realize what a very valuable crop this is.

This crop was made by crossing regular Sudan with Leoti Sorghum. It has somewhat heavier leaves than regular Sudan. It is a little later in maturing. Grows fast after it gets well started. Wonderful for pasture. Can be cut for hay most anytime it gets tall enough. The best quality of hay perhaps is when it is cut while in bloom but you can cut it earlier and it makes good hay even when the seed is well formed. Sow 15 to 20 lbs. per acre. See page 29 of our general catalog for further information. Our seed is extra nice, clean, heavy high germinating seed. Considering quality, it is reasonably priced.

25 lbs. \$4.75; 50 lbs. \$9.35; 100 lbs. \$18.50

Regular Sudan

You no doubt are familiar with the heavy production and fine quality of this heat and drouth resisting crop. For years it has been the standby of farmers needing more hay or pasture. You can sow it in mid-summer if need be and get a big return. Do not plant any Sudan until weather and seed bed is warm. You can get about the same yield per acre whether you sow 10, 15, 20, or 25 lbs. per acre. The heavier the rate of seeding the finer stemmed the grass will be. We have some very fine seed of high purity and germination, priced to save you money, 25 lbs. \$3.00; 50 lbs. \$5.70; 100 lbs. \$11.25.

Dwarf Essex Rape Seed

One of the greatest quick growing summer pasture crops. Can generally be pastured in six to eight weeks after seeding. Some broadcast on oats after they are up and pasture then when grain is removed. May be sown from early spring until mid-summer. The crop is high in protein and equal to Alfalfa as a hog or sheep pasture. Cuts down on amount of grain and gets stock ready for market quicker. It requires only around 6 lbs. of seed per acre. We have the genuine Dwarf Essex Rape for you guaranteed the finest available or obtainable. Small lots **postpaid** 1 lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.75; 10 lbs. \$3.00; Not Postpaid 25 lbs. \$5.65; 50 lbs. \$11.10; 100 lbs. 22.00.

MILLETS

There always is a good demand for Millet seed. Many farmers like to sow it after some early maturing crop like potatoes and get an extra return from the land. Often wet weather or floods cause a need for a quick growing crop. Millets are also good emergency hay crops. The seed crop is valued for poultry feed. For hay or seed they are good money making crops. See page 12 of our catalog for more complete descriptions of varieties.

GERMAN or GOLDEN. Makes a leafy growth often up to 4 or 5 feet tall. Hay yields are up to 4 and 5 tons per acre and seed yields up to 50 bushels. Can be sown from corn planting time until latter part of July in this section. Sow 40 to 50 lbs. per acre for hay, 30 lbs. for seed production. **\$4.60 per bu. 50 lbs.**

WHITE WONDER. Quite similar to Golden in its heavy leafy growth and heavy yields. Farmers who have grown both have told us they consider these equal in value. **Price \$4.10 bu 50 lbs.**

PROSO. This is also known as Hog and Broom Corn Millet. It is not as good for hay as the above two but is a heavier seed producer. Seed heads out somewhat like Broom Corn. The seed is larger in size and is equal to Barley in feeding value. Sow 40 to 50 lbs. per acre. **Price \$3.75 bu. 50 lbs.**

SIBERIAN. This is a millet more like Golden but matures two to three weeks earlier. Can be sown later. Makes hay of fine quality but not quite as tall as Golden. **Price \$4.10 per bu. of 50 pounds.**

SPRING SEED GRAINS

Pages 8 to 11 of our general catalog describes our spring seed grains. We especially direct your attention to the following. For seed oats see pages 18 and 19 of this Seed Facts.

MIDA SPRING WHEAT

This in our opinion is the greatest all around spring wheat yet developed. It is a heavy yielder of high quality milling wheat. The straw is very stiff and it is less subject to shattering than Rival. It is definitely superior to Pilot, Rival, Thatcher and Renown in yield. The rust resistant character of Mida will make this variety stand out extremely well in bad rust years. Our seed is fine re-cleaned heavy weight stock. Sow $1\frac{1}{2}$ bu. per acre. Price: 1 to 9 bu., \$5.00 per bu.; over 10 bu., \$4.90 per bu.

SPELTZ

This is a great drought resisting grain. The straw is unusually stiff and strong. The grain is borne in a nutritious shuck with two grains per shuck. It is highly resistant to rust and seldom injured by smut. It is grown wherever small spring grain is grown. Very desirable under dry conditions. Makes a fine nurse crop. It is a good yielder. Grain is sold on basis of 40 pound per bushel. Average seeding $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu. per acre. Thresh or combine about like oats. 1 to 9 bu., \$2.90 per bu.; 10 bu. or more, \$2.80 per bu.

Leading Spring Barley Varieties

Spring Barley is one of the heaviest producing of all spring grains. The seed is sold on the basis of 48 pounds per bushel and the bushel yield per acre is heavy. Sow about two bushels per acre.

WISCONSIN 38

This is a wonderful barley and very popular. It is a malting variety which is in such big demand. Naturally it is good for feeding too. The plant has awns but there are no barbs on same. It is a pleasant grain to handle and has a good stiff straw, matures early and makes a wonderful nurse crop for grass and clover seedings. 1 to 9 bu., \$4.65 per bu.; 10 bu. or over \$4.60

VELVET BARLEY

This is very similar to the Wisconsin 38 described above, having smooth beards, strong straw, good yield and early maturity. Price same as Wisconsin 38.

SPARTAN TWO ROW FEEDING BARLEY

This cannot be used for malting purposes but is an excellent feeding variety. It is one of the strongest strawed barleys grown. Has smooth awns or beards like Wisconsin 38. Will stand up on very rich land. This is always popular among farmers who feed barley. We have an excellent quality but supply is limited.

Price 1 to 9 bu., \$4.55 per bu.; 10 bu. or more, \$4.50 per bu.

ODERBRUCKER

This is one of the older varieties but has held its own against new introductions because of its big yield and fine quality. This is a rough bearded kind. Has high feeding value, disease resistance and fine quality.

Price 1 to 9 bu., \$4.65 per bu.; 10 or more bu., \$4.60 per bu.

MONTCALM BARLEY

State Certified Seed

This is the most outstanding new Malting Barley. It has been top yielder in Iowa, as well as other states. Seed supplies are still scarce. Start growing it now. Sell your crop for seed. Get premium prices and extra profits. This is a fine quality grain. Shipment from Clarinda or Minnesota, our option. Price \$8.00 bu. for Certified Seed.

BISON FLAX

Seed flax is high in price this year because so much of the crop moved to market last summer. It will pay you to get high quality seed. We have the Bison Variety which is wilt and rust resistant. It is outstanding in its ability to resist wilt and is also one of the heaviest seed yielders. Sow $\frac{3}{4}$ bu. per acre. We recommend Bison as a very profitable variety. 1 to 9 bu., \$10.00 per bu.; 10 bu. or more, \$9.90 per bu.

Plant Berry's Improved Hybrids

There are hundreds of Hybrids and a wide range of prices. Many claims are made. The best way for you to tell is to actually grow them on your farm. Then you can tell just how they will do for you under your conditions. That is why we urge you to grow some of Berry's Hybrids. They are gaining in popularity year by year because they show constantly they are better money makers under most conditions. See pages 3, 6 and 7 of our General Catalog for more detailed description and page 13 of this Seed Facts for a complete list of varieties.

Berry's 813

No other seed grower has a variety that is produced like our 813. It is a multiple blend containing inbreds that combine to make extra yield vigor and vitality. Big single ears. Strong stalks. Deep soft kernels. Yields of 151.9 bu. recorded under actual farming conditions. A 120 day type suitable to conditions like the southern third of Iowa and from there on south into Missouri, Kansas, etc. We especially urge you to grow this as there is no other Hybrid just like Berry's 813.

\$10.50 bu., Flat Grain
\$8.00 Round Grain

Berry's 800

This is very similar to 813 but contains 4 inbreds in place of 6. It is also a single ear, deep grained heavy yielding variety. In many respects it is like U. S. 13 but it holds its ears better and has less damaged corn. It generally outyielded it 5 or more bushels per acre. The stalks are stronger. Berry's 800 is disease resistant. It is a good corn for hand or machine picking. If you like U. S. 13 you will like our 800 better. It is adapted to the same area and is a fine feeding corn.

\$10.00 bu., Flat Grain
\$7.50 Round Grain

Berry's 405

This is our earliest, about 100 to 105 days. Starts fast in the spring. Has good sized leafy stalks. Has an ear of good length and deep grains for so early a variety. It will outyield anything in its maturity class that we have seen. Suitable for southern Minnesota to Central Iowa as a main crop corn. This means it is adapted over a wide area east and west across the nation. This is a dandy.

\$10.50 bu., Flat
\$8.00 Round

Berry's 615

This is a little later than 405 and is about a 105 to 110 day corn. Suitable from northern Iowa on south throughout the state and east and west. It is a corn similar to Iowa 939 which was so long a record holder. This has many improvements. We recommend it highly. Is adapted to thinner soils than most and yet responds to increased fertility. Grains are soft. Deep yellow in color with a reddish tinge on the side of the grain. Be sure to try some.

\$10.50 bu., Flat
\$8.00 Round

Hybrid Blends

Round \$5.25
Thick Flat \$5.75

Be sure to read page 7 of our Catalog. Many customers report our blends the best corn in their neighborhood. The combination gives prolonged pollination and a great vigor. You will find them especially outstanding in a dry hot season. Year in and year out you will find these blends at the top for yield. Specify whether you want medium or later maturity.

Berry's 613

Flat Grain \$10.00 bu.
Round Grain \$7.50 bu.

A hybrid with beautiful dark green foliage. About 112-115 day maturity. A vigorous grower. Produces a big single ear with deep grains of rich yellow color. Can be grown a little farther north than U. S. 13 or 800 and as an early variety. You can plant it as far south as you may live. If you have some good land Berry's 613 will make you a show field.

REDUCE YOUR LIVING COST

Make Drastic Cuts In Your Grocery Bills by Growing a Garden This Year

There have been no increases in garden seed prices. See our money saving prices on all items in our catalog—Buy the best for less money.

A good garden will bring you around \$50.00 worth of fresh vegetables for every dollar you spend for seed. At the prices which they charge in some places you could get \$100.00 for every one. Besides that you will have better vegetables, they will be fresher, they will taste better. An abundance of fresh vegetables in your own garden will not only cut your living cost, but they will improve the health of your family.

Plan Your Garden

You do not need a very large space to grow an enormous quantity of vegetables, if you will plan a succession of planting. When one vegetable is through, plant something else in its place. Plant a succession of different crops like peas, beans, corn, radishes etc., that will give you fine fresh vegetables throughout the entire summer. Figure on canning to give you your food at low cost throughout the winter. Be sure to read our General Catalog for description and very low prices on garden seeds. In that book we list the best of the varieties. There are many others to be had, but rather than confuse our customers with large selections, we pick those that we think will give you the most satisfactory results. We can supply you with seeds and in some lines with plants. See page 52 for plants and also hotcaps which will permit you to set plants out earlier, and thus get better crops. We also recommend to our trade that they use our Bug Dust. It is inexpensive and easy to apply, and in many instances will produce a much finer quality of vegetables for you.

Write Us For Any Information

We are always glad to advise you to the best of our ability on any of the planting problems that you may have. The Catalog will tell you about varieties, but do not hesitate to call upon us. If you are somewhat at loss to know what to select, and you do not have room for too large a garden, use some of the collections that are listed on page 41 of our Catalog. There are some exceptionally fine selections on page 44. All through the book from cover to cover you will find quality items at money saving prices.

Plant Some Nursery Stock Too

Fruits are among the highest priced things that you buy on the market. Yet they are the finest of health giving foods. You can plant crops like Strawberries, Raspberries, Blueberries, Blackberries, Boysenberries etc., this year, and harvest a crop next year. So we urge you to start growing some fruits. Here again you can grow a large quantity in a small place, if you will give same careful attention. Read about our Fruit Tree's beginning on page 60 of our Catalog. Here again as in the Garden seed line, we select the varieties that are adapted to our trade over a large area. We select what we consider the best, and price it to save you money. It takes Fruit Trees a little longer to come into bearing than small fruits, but if you will buy the larger sizes, they will start bearing in a very short while. We may find that economic conditions will not be so favorable a few years hence, and those that have an Orchard and small fruits started will practically be able to live off a small piece of ground. You will thank us a good many times over for getting you started growing these quality fruits. We urge you to start now.

Beautify and Protect Your Home

Have a little beauty around your Home. Plant some perennial plants of Roses or Shrubs. Have some vines around your porches. Protect your buildings by planting Evergreens or other Trees. You will find them all listed in this book. Start with page 37 of our General Catalog and go all the way through on garden and nursery items, flower seeds, Evergreens, etc. Place your order now. We will ship you high grade stock. We guarantee the best values for the money to be had.